LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, APRIL 22, 2003,** upon the application of **FRANKS PETROLEUM INC.**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **10,200' Zone, Reservoir A,** in the Turps Field, Beauregard Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To establish two (2) additional drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from 10,200' Zone, Reservoir A, to be designated 10200 RA SUE and 10200 RA SUF, respectively, as shown outlined on the plat submitted with the application.
- 2. To force pool and integrate all of the separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed units, in accordance with Section 10, Title 30 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
- 3. To extend existing field rules to the proposed units, except to the extent inconsistent herewith.
- 4. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The 10,200' Zone, Reservoir A, in the Turps Field, Beauregard Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 1435-F, effective on and after January 22, 2002 and is to be further defined pursuant to the public hearing pending under Docket No. 03-148.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Lafayette**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION - ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P. O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.